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Unlocking Thesis Data through persistent identifiers: what next?

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UTD project 2015

- Encourage use of DOI and ORCID identifiers in theses and related data
- Funded by Jisc
- 3mths – survey and case studies
- All outputs are linked at <http://doi.org/10.15123/PROJECT.15>

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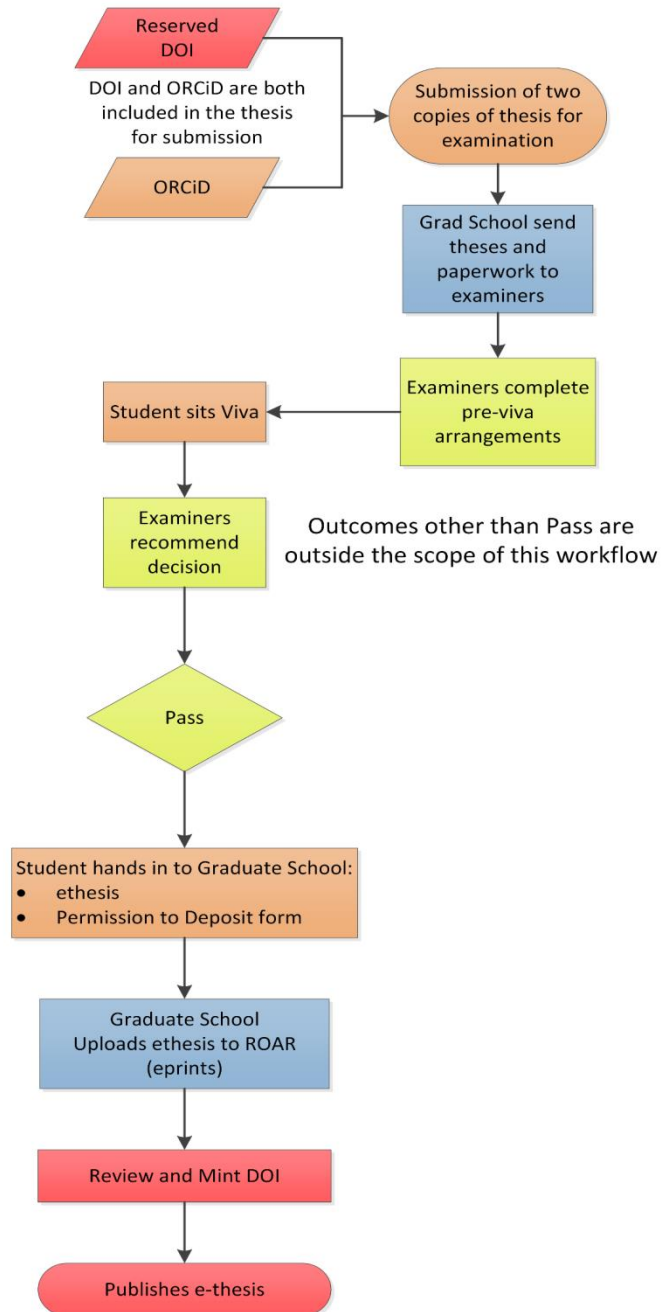
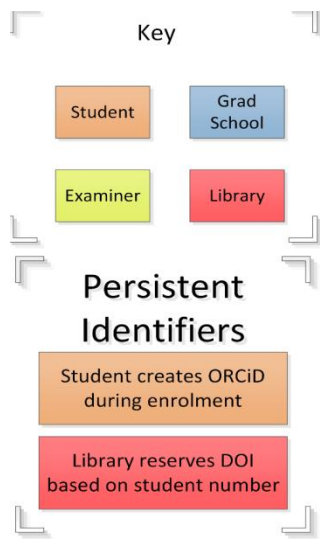
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Sample workflows in each case study



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Possible Workflows

- ORCID on arrival of the student
- DOI on publication of thesis
 - Assign DOIs in advance to embed them in the thesis?

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What about the data?



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The research in this doctoral thesis focuses on the mediation of place, memory and identity in experimental western documentary films and contains film theory and film practice components. It is comprised of the production of two experimental documentary films — Not Reconciled (41 minutes) (2009) and The Border Crossing (47 minutes) (2011) — and a 50,000 word written exegesis that analyses those films and films made by others. The key analytic approaches I deploy are located within the framework of film studies, trauma and memory studies and theories of space, landscape and spectatorship. My aim is to advance a critical understanding of the opportunities and limitations in the cinematic...

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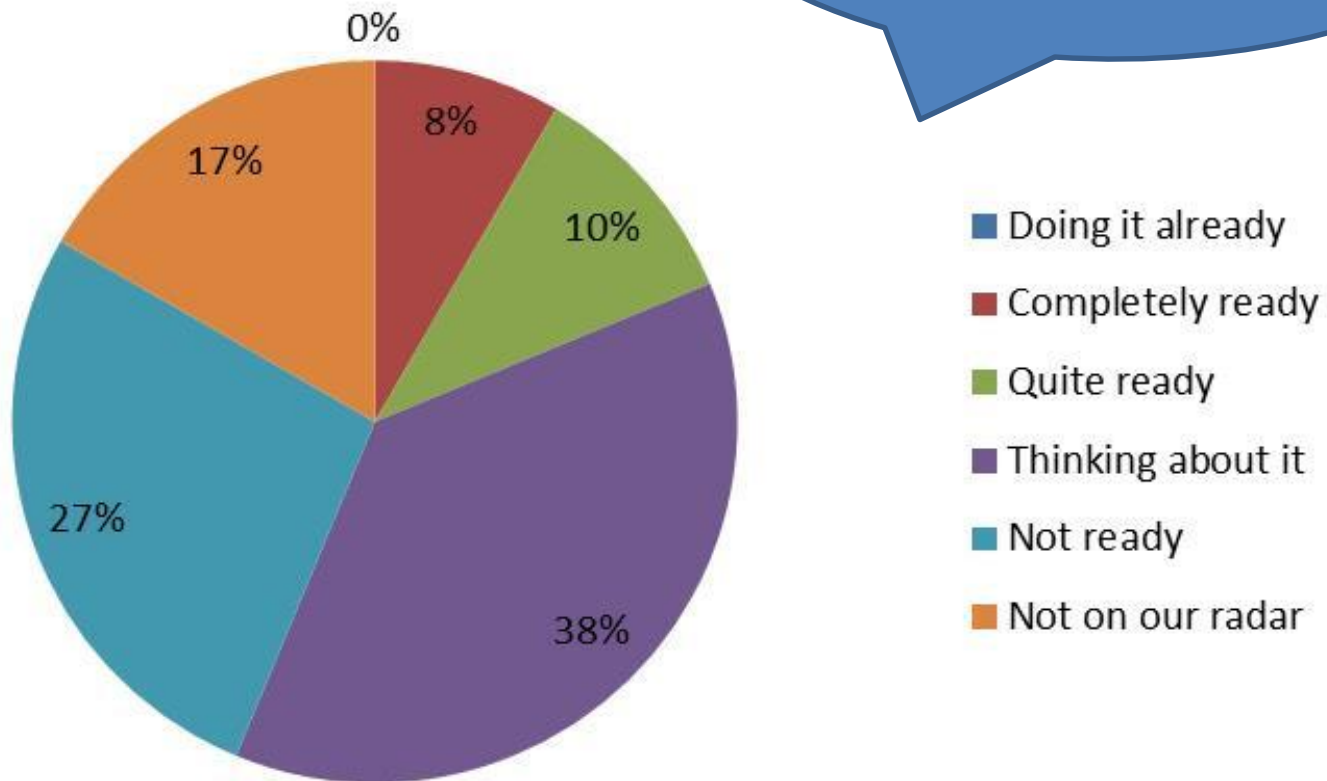
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[The Border Crossing](#)[not reconciled](#)**South Bank**
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Survey

It's a no-brainer



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What's happened since?

- Bath adds DOIs to datasets, which can be linked to thesis in repository
- Southampton has a policy on DOI allocation, and will be minting them soon
- Cambridge mints DOIs for new theses
- Several others are almost ready to go (UEL, UAL, Leicester etc).

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Established practice at LHSTM

- All new theses get a DOI on ingest to the repository, and minting DOIs for old ones in order of popularity – 171 out of 485 so far
- Major aim was to garner Altmetric attention

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So what can you do?

- Encourage/mandate ORCID identifiers for students
- Institutional membership helps to populate CRIS/IR systems



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So what can you do?

- Assign/mint DOIs for theses (and data objects)
- Join DataCite or Crossref if you need capability to create DOIs



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So what can you do?

- Adapt your software to make DOI creation easy, and able to hold ORCID identifiers
- Expose enhanced metadata including ORCID and DOI identifiers



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